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For: SYSTEMS, METHODS, AND APPARATUS FOR MONITORING A CONTAINER ASSOCIATED WITH AN ITEM	,)))))

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (Large Entity)

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 USC 111(a) and 37 CFR 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled: SYSTEMS, METHODS, AND APPARATUS FOR MONITORING A CONTAINER ASSOCIATED WITH AN ITEM

and invented by: STERN et al.

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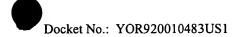
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b. Cross references to Relate Applications (if applicable)

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		e.	⊠ Background o	f the Invention					
		f.	⊠ Brief Summar	y of the Invention					
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		h.	Detailed Desc	ription					
		i.	Claim(s) as C	lassified Below					
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